

EVERETT CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

PROJECT TITLE:

Fare Increase Resolution for
Everett Transit

_____ Briefing
_____ Proposed Action
_____ Consent
_____ Action
_____ First Reading
_____ Second Reading
_____ Third Reading
_____ Public Hearing

COUNCIL BILL #

Originating Department

Contact Person

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FOR AGENDA OF

Trans. Services

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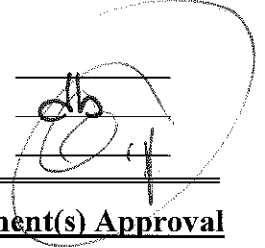
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Initialed by:

Department Head

CAA

Council President



Location

Everett Transit

Preceding Action

Public Process for Fare
Increase
Public Hearing 10/3/12

Attachments

Fare Change Resolution

Department(s) Approval

Legal

Amount Budgeted	-0-	
Expenditure Required	-0-	Account Number(s):
Budget Remaining	-0-	
Additional Required	-0-	

DETAILED SUMMARY STATEMENT:

Everett Transit has had the same base fares since 2009. This resolution increases the base adult fare from seventy-five cents to one dollar, increases the youth fare from fifty cents to seventy-five cents, and increases the reduced fare category from free to twenty-five cents to help offset the amplified expenses in operations due to fuel cost increases. This increase would become effective January 1, 2013.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the resolution to change Everett Transit's fixed route fares effective January 1, 2013.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION authorizing Everett Transit to change its fixed route fares effective January 1, 2013.

WHEREAS, the City of Everett, through Everett Transit has provided transit service since 1969; and

WHEREAS, in July, 2009 Everett Transit changed its base fare to seventy-five cents per trip; and

WHEREAS, the cost of operations has increased due to fuel expenses since 2009; and

WHEREAS, Everett Transit is part of the Regional Fare Agreement which includes Sound Transit, Community Transit, Kitsap Transit, King County Metro, Pierce Transit and Washington State Ferries representing One Regional Card for All (ORCA); and

WHEREAS, an adult base cash fare increase from seventy-five cents to one dollar increases the monthly cost for unlimited fixed route service from twenty-seven dollars to thirty-six dollars with purchase of a monthly ORCA pass product; and

WHEREAS, a youth base cash fare increase from fifty-cents to seventy-five cents increases the monthly cost for unlimited fixed route service from eighteen dollars to twenty-seven dollars with purchase of a monthly ORCA pass product; and

WHEREAS; the reduced fare category base cash fare increase from free to twenty-five cents increases the monthly cost for unlimited fixed route service from free to nine dollars with purchase of a monthly ORCA agency only pass product;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of Everett:

Effective January 1, 2013, Everett Transit's fixed route fares shall increase twenty-five cents in all fare categories.

Councilperson Introducing Resolution

PASSED AND APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2012.

Council President